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Miscellaneous Selections.

THE SKILL OF CHINESE LABORERS.-The scaffolding for the purpose of covering the court is proceeding rapidly, the chief supports being now completed, and the upper part in process of being covered with light bamboos placed about two feet apart. These act as supports for the matting, which is all double, having lining formed of the millet stalk. Some of these sheets of matting are fitted on bamboo frames, which are not intended to be moved; while others are so arranged that by hallards they can be pulled open or shut like window blinds, thus enabling the court to be covered according to temperature, rain, or other circumstances. The skill and ingenuity which the men display is remarkable. They move about on the top of this restoration of communication, until the time be work, some forty feet from the ground, filled. If they desire the paper longer after that time, they must renew.

with the agility of monkeys, and run up and down the straight poles like squirrels, using only their hands and the sole of their feet. A leg of mutton on the top of a greasy pole would stand a poor chance of remaining long an object of competition amongst Pekin scaffold-constructors. The frame work is secured only by ropes and twine and great ecouomy is exercised in picking up and re-moving the portions that are in excess, several little boys going round in the evening before the men leave, and picking up all the scraps that have been cut off and thrown down. The Chinese workmen display great expertness in throwing materials from one to the other to a considerable height. I noticed this to-day among the scaffold-men, and it recalled to my memory having seen one of the masons' laborers taking a spade full of mortar, and throw it spade and all to a man on the roof of a house, who caught it without dislodging a particle of the mortar. The paper-hangers, also are very expert in throwing up sheets of paper, with one side covered JOB PRINTING with paste, ready for being part wall. Their paper for room purposes is very good, the "satin pattern" being part of this the most commonly used. Paper of this kind is not kept in rolls, as with us, but in squares of about twelve by ten inches. One man stands by the table and applies the paste, and then adroitly throws the sheet up to another one, who fixes it on the wall .- Pekin and the Pekinese.

THE SILK SPIDER OF SOUTH CAROLINA. Dr. B. G. Wilder, late surgeon of the 55th Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteers, gave the first four lectures upon the above subject in Boston, Tuesday evening. The Journal gives the follow-

ing brief but interesting synopsis:

The first of this species of spider was discovered by the lecturer on the north end of folly Island, in Charleston Harbor, while in camp there in August, 1863. He wound from its body in one hour and a quarter, 150 yards of yellow silk. The next year another officer wound from 30 spiders 3484 yards, or nearly two miles of the silk. A single thread of this was strong enough to sustain a weight of from 54 to 107 grains. In 1865, Dr. Wilder showed his specimen to Prof. Agassiz and others, to whom, the species was new. Returning to Charleston he resumed his researches, and after a variety of adventures and disappointments, succeeded in

getting a number of the spiders. In the course of the season these all died, from lack of knowledge as to their habits, mode of living, &c. From the eggs deposited, however, many others are produced. It is the habit of the stronger to devour the weaker, so that out of several thousand, only a few hundred were raised. The fact, however, was clearly demonstrated that they could be raised and live through a Northern winter. In the succeeding lectures, the method of securing the silk, and other facts in regard to this in-

teresting discovery will be given.

Specimens of the silk will be exhibited, which was of a golden yellow and a silver white, and as brilliaut as the metals in appearance.—R. I. Press.

A GRAPE EXPERIMENT. - Mr. Peter Kehl, the pioneer vine grower on the Wisconsin, favors the Sauk City Pio-neer with an account of an experiment made by him:

"Taken by suprise by the early cold weather last fall, before he could press all his grapes, he was forced to winter them over in some manner. He put them up in boxes and allowed them to freeze. On the 3d of April he began to press them, and found that the wine is a hundred per cent, better than that made from the same quality of grapes last fall. Out of about 5,000 pounds of grapes thus wintered, he made 625 gal lons of wine. Mr. Kleimpell, who examined the grapes, says they are in a good condition, and he did not taste any better last fall.

A vine-grower made \$7,987 last year from five acres of island soil in Lake Erie. He raised 34,500 pounds of grapes, and 6,000 gallons of wine.

-Why does a razor cut better for being diped in hot water?" The edges of all tools, instead of being perfectly smoothe, are really toothed like a saw, and when the razor is diped in hot water, it causes these little teeth to expand, thus rendering the distance between them smaller, and consequently giving the razor a smooth edge.

-Pisciculture.-A correspondent of the Maine Farmer says that about sixteen years ago he transferred eight trout to a small brook which empties into a pond. For seven or eight years nothing was seen or heard from them; but since that time it is judged by men

RALEIGH, N. C., SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1866.

The State Convention of North-Carolina will assemble in this City on the fourth Thursday of the present month, pursuant to

The State Convention.

adjournment, The officers of this body are as follows: President, Hon. Edwin G. Reade, of Per-Principal Secretary, James H. Moore, Esq. Assistant Secretary, R. C. Badger, Esq. Principal Doorkeer, Mr. H. B. Kingsbury.

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same is written, ssignment or Transfers, of mortgage, lease or policy of insurance, the same duty as on the original instrument of patent right, Bank Checks, Drafts or Orders, &c., at

forthwith presented for payment] for a sum not exceeding \$100, 5 For every additional \$100 or fractional part thereof, Bills of Lading vessels for the ports of the

Where the money recoverable exceeds one thousand dollars for every addi-tional one thousand dollars, or fraction-

charged in this schedule,
Certificates of deposit in bank, sum not
exceeding one hundred dollars,
Of deposit in bank, sum exceeding one hundred dollars, 5 cts. Of stock in an incorporated company, 25 cts. General, Of a qualification of a Justice of the Peace,

Of birth, marriage and death, Of qualifications of school teachers, Of profits of an incorporated company, for a sum not less than ten dollars and additional one thousand, or fractional

port warden, marine surveyor, or other person acting as such, Certified Transcript of judgments, satis-faction of judgments and of all papers recorded or on file Check Draft or Order for the payment of any sum of money exceeding \$40, drawn upon any person or other than a bank, banker or trust company, at sight

tual value which does not exceed \$500, 50 cts. Exceeding \$500, and not exceeding \$1,000, \$1 00 For every additional five hundred dollars, or fractional part thereof, in excess of one thousand dollars, 5 one thousand dollars,
Entry of any goods, wares or merchandize
at any custom house, not exceeding one
hundred dollars in value,
Exceeding one hundred dollars and not
exceeding five hundred dollars in value, 50 cts. Exceeding tive hundred dollars in value, \$1 00 For the withdrawal of any goods or mer-Guager's return if for quantity not ex-ceeding five hundred gal. gross,

stock or collect dividends thereon To vote at an election if an incorporated company,
To receive or collect rents,
To sell, or convey, or rent, or lease real estate, For any other purpose, Probate of will or letters of administration, where the value of both real and personal estate does not exceed \$2,000, \$1 00

to a stamp duty of \$1 00
Protest upon bill note, check or draft 25 cts.
Promisory Note, (See Bills of Exchange, inland,) Renewal of, subject to same duty as an original note. Receipt for the payment of any sum of money, or debt due, exceeding twenty dollars, or for the delivery of any pro-

stamped as a mortgage conveying estate to uses, to be stamped as conveyance. Warehouse Receipt for any goods, wares or merchandise not otherwise provided for, deposited or stored in any public for, deposited or stored in any public or private warehouse not exceeding five hundred dollars in value, 10 Exceeding five hundred and not exceeding one thousand dollars, Exceeding 1,000 dollars, for every additional 1,000 dollars or tractional part thereof, in excess of \$1,000, 10 For any goods, etc., not otherwise provided for stored or deposited in any public ded for stored or deposited in any public or private warehouse or yard, Writs or Legal Documents, writ or other

menced in any court of record, either of law or equity,
Writ or original process issued by a court not of record, where the amount claimed is 100 dollars or over,
Upon every confession of judgment or cognovit for 100 dollars or over, except in cases where the, tax for a writ has been paid, Writ or other process, appeals from jus-

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Where the consideration paid for the insurance, in cash, premium notes, or both, does not exceed 10 dollars, 10 cts.

dollars,
Exceeding 5,000 dollars,
Lease or lease of lands or tenements
where the rents does not exceed 300 per
50 cts. annum, Exceeding 300 dollars, for each addition al 200 dollars, or fractional part thereof, in excess of 300 dollars,

ditional.

Measurers' Return, if for quantity not exceeding 1,000 bushels,

Exceeding 1,000 bushels,

Exceeding 1,000 bushels, Mortgage, trust deed, bill of sales, or personal bond for the payment of money exceeding 100 and not exceeding 500

sage Ticket from the United States to any foreign port, costing not more than

ONE OF THE TAX LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES. (in suit or legal proceedings,) Agreement or Appraisement, for each sheet or piece of paper, on which the

Bank Checks, Drafts or Orders, &c., at sight, or on demand,

Bills of Exchange; Inland drafts or order payable otherwise than at sight or on demand, and any promisory note whatever, payable on demand or at a time designated [except bank notes issued for circulation, and checks made and intended to be, and which shall be, for the order of the payable for payment for a

United States or British North America, Exempt
On receipt of goods on any foreign ports, 10 cts.
Bills of Sale of any vessel, or part thereof, when the consideration does not exceed \$500,

ceed \$500, 50 cts.

Exceeding \$500 and not exceeding \$1,000, \$1 00

Exceeding one thousand dollars for each five hundred dollars fractional part thereot, 50 cts.

Of personal property, other than ship or vessel Bond personal for payment of money [see mortgage.]—Official, \$1 00

For indemnifying any person for the payment of any sum of money, where the money ultimately recoverable thereupon is one thousand dollars or less, 50 cts.

Where the money recoverable exceeds

tional one thousand dollars, or fractional part thereof,
Bonds, county, city and town bonds, rail
roads and other corporation bonds and
script, are subject to stamp duty. [See
mortgage.] Of any description, other
than such as are required in legal proceedings, and such as are not otherwise

Of a qualification of a Justice of the Leace, Commissioner of deeds or Notary 5 ets. public,
Of search of records,
That certain papers are on file,
That certain papers cannot be found,
Of redemption of land sold for taxes,

not exceeding fifty dollars, and not exceeding fifty dollars and not exceeding one thousand dollars, 25 cts.

Exceeding one thousand dollars, for every part thereof, Of damage or otherwise, and all others certificates or documents issued by any

or on demand,
Contract [See Agreement Brokers,] 1
Conveyance deed, instrument of writing, whereby lands, tenements, or other reality sold shall be conveyed, the ac-

Exceeding 500 gallons, Power of Attorney to sell or transfer

For every additional \$2,000 or fractional part thereof, in excess of \$2,000, 50 Bonds of executor, administrators, guardians and trustees, are each subjected

perty, rust Deed made to secure a debt to be

legal process, by which any suit is com-menced in any court of record, either

tices courts, or other courts of inferior jurisdiction, to a court of record, 50 Warrants of distress, when the amount of

both, does not exceed 10 dollars, Exceeding ten dollars, and not exceeding 50 ets. fifty, Insurance, Life, when the amount insured does not exceed 1,000 dollars, Exceeding 1,000 and not exceeding 5,000

Perpetual, subject to stamp duty as a "conveyance."

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GENERAL REMARKS.

Revenue Stamps may be used indiscriminately upon any of the matters of things enumerated in schedule B, except proprietary and playing eard stamps, for which a special use has been provided. Postage stamps cannot be used in payment of the duty chargeable on instruments.

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It is the duty of the maker of an instrument to affix and cancel the stamp thereon. If he neglects to do so, the party for whom it is made, may stamp it before it is used; and if used after the 30th of July, 1864, and used without a stamp, it cannot afterwards be effectually stamped. Any failure upon the part of the maker of an instrument to appropriately stamp it, renders him liable to a penalty of two hundred dollars. Suits are commenced in many States by other process than writ, viz: summons, warrants, publication, petition, &c., in which case these, as the original process, severally require stamps.

Writs of scira facias are subject to stamp duty as original processes.

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The jurat of an affidavit, taken before a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, or other officer duly authorized to take affidavits, is held to be a certificate, and is subject to a stamp duty of five cents, except when taken in suits of legal proceed-Certificates of loan in which there shall appear

any printed or written evidence of an amount of money to be paid on demand or at any time de-signated, are subject to stamp duty as Promisory Notes.

The assignment of a mortgage is subject to the same duty as that imposed upon the original instrument; that is to say for every sum of five hundred dollars, or any fractional part thereof, of the amount secured by the mortgage, at time of its assignment there must be affixed a stamp or stamps, denoting a duty of five cents.

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In conveyances of real estate, the law provides that the stamp affixed must answer to the value of the estate on interest conveyed.

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